California Rice Commission

Notice of Meeting & Agenda

Board of Directors Meeting 9:00 a.m., Tuesday, August 10, 2010 Colusa Casino Conference Center 3730 State Hwy. 45, Colusa, CA

Agenda item

- I. <u>Administration</u>
 - A. Roll Call
 - B. Call to Order
- II. <u>Introductions</u>
- III. Approval of Minutes
- IV. <u>Election Update</u>
- V. <u>Committee Reports</u>
 - A. International Marketing & Promotion
 - i. Activities
 - ii. Recommended 2010/11 Program of Work
 - B. Research & Technology
 - i. Activities
 - ii. Yamamoto Sheller
 - iii. Recommended 2010/11 Program of Work
 - C. Domestic Marketing & Promotion
 - i. Activities
 - ii. Recommended 2010/11 Program of Work
 - D. CA Rice Certification Committee
 - i. Activities
 - E. Rice Producers' Group
 - i. Activities
 - F. Industry Affairs
 - i. Activities
 - ii. Recommended 2010/11 Program of Work
 - G. Executive
 - i. Activities
 - ii. Recommended 2010/11 Program of Work
 - H. Budget & Finance

- i. Financial Report
- VI. <u>USA Rice Review</u>
- VII. Contract Approval
 - A. USA Rice Council
 - B. USA Rice Producers' Group
- VIII. <u>2010/11 Budget</u>
 - A. Approve Budget, Assessment Rate & Program of Work
- IX. Policy Recommendations
 - A. Board Authorizations
- X. Personnel Closed Session (California Government Code 11126(a)
 - A. The Board may go into closed session to discuss and make recommendations regarding appointment, employment or dismissal of an employee
 - B. Return to open session and announce action taken in closed session, if any
- XI. <u>Closed session regarding pending litigation pursuant to Government Code</u> Section 11126(e)
 - A. The Board may go into closed session to discuss pending litigation
 - B. Return to open session and announce action taken in closed session, if any
- XII. <u>Issues and Scheduling For Next Meeting</u>
- XIII. Adjourn

All items are subject to discussion and action. All meetings of the California Rice Commission are open to the public and subject to the Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act. All interested parties are invited and encouraged to attend the meeting.

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